ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

recording modes.

There is disclosed a recording apparatus having first and second recording modes for recording image signals of one frame in tracks, the numbers of which are different in the first and second recording modes. On the first recording mode, a still image is recorded for a first predetermined period. On the second recording mode, a still image is recorded for a second predetermined period. Lengths of these first and second predetermined periods are respectively set according to the first and second